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RS	AQ	1	Bradley, S. and Cullen J.C., "The Use of Methylmethacrylate in the Treatment of Giant Cell Tumors of the Proximal Tibia", Aust. N.Z. Surg. Vol. 49, No. 1, February 1979, (3 pages).
RS	AR	1	Campanacci, M., Gui, L., Rainer, L. and Savini, R., "Godoli, The Treatment of Tinal Plateau Fractures", Chi. Org. Mov. 72(3), December, 1975 (Italian text (pages 234-256) English translation.
RS	AS	1	Kyphon Surgical Technique Manual, 1999, (pages 5,6,9,16-19).

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<i>Repeat</i>	BQ	2	Kyphon Surgical Technique Manual, 1999, (pages 5,6,9,16-19)
RS	BR	2	Kyphon Vertebral Treatment Notebook, date unknown, (9 pages).
RS	BS	2	Kyphon web page, www.kyphon.com , 3/13/2001, (2 pages).

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<i>Repeat</i>	CO	3	Kyphon web page, www.kyphon.com, 3/13/2001, (2 pages).
RS	CR	3	AOM Techniques Manual, date unknown, (11 pages).
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RS	AA	5,192,326	03/19963	Bao et al.			
RS	AB	6,740,093	05/25/2004	Hochschuler et al.			
RS	AC	6,045,579	04/04/2000	Hochschuler et al.			
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RS	AL	0 621 020 A1	17/03/94	Europe			Yes No
RS	AM	2 639 823	06/12/1988	France			Yes No
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RS	AA	6,110,210	08/29/2000	Norton et al.			
RS	AB	6,200,347	03/13/2001	Anderson et al.			
RS	AC	6,241,771	06/05/2001	Gresser et al.			
RS	AD	6,273,916	08/14/2001	Murphy			
RS	AE	6,287,309	09/11/2001	Baccelli et al.			
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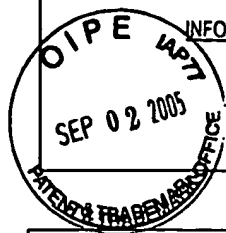
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RS	AA	4,888,024	December 19, 1989	Powlan			
RS	AB	6,287,308	September 11, 2001	Betz et al.			
RS	AC	6,387,130	May 14, 2002	Stone et al.			
RS	AD	6,419,705	July 16, 2002	Erickson			
RS	AE	6,562,074	May 13, 2003	Gerbec et al.			
RS	AF	6,648,917	November 18, 2003	Gerbec et al.			
RS	AG	6,852,129	February 8, 2005	Gerbec et al.			
RS	AH	6,852,095	February 8, 2005	Ray			
RS	AI	6,863,673	March 8, 2005	Gerbec et al.			
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RS	AA	4,524,766	06/25/1985	Peterson			
RS	AB	4,736,738	04/12/1988	Lipovsel et al.			
RS	AC	5,192,327	03/09/1993	Brantigan			
RS	AD	5,298,254	03/29/1994	Prewett et al.			
RS	AE	5,431,658	07/11/1995	Moskovich			
RS	AF	5,439,684	08/08/1995	Prewett et al.			
RS	AG	5,514,180	05/07/1996	Heggeness et al.			
RS	AH	5,522,899	06/04/1996	Michelson			
RS	AI	5,591,235	01/07/1997	Kuslich			
RS	AJ	5,702,454	12/30/1997	Baumgartner			
RS	AK	5,891,147	04/06/1999	Moskovitz et al.			

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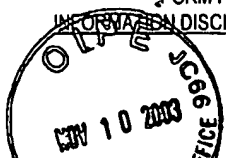
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RS	BB	6,033,411	03/07/2000	Preissman			
RS	BC	6,074,390	06/13/2000	Zucheman et al.			
RS	BD	6,110,179	08/29/2000	Flivik et al.			
RS	BE	6,159,211	12/12/2000	Boriani et al.			
RS	BF	6,402,750	06/11/2002	Atkinson et al.			
RS	BG	6,500,205	12/31/2002	Michelson			
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